

## House Resolution No. 3884

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the histories of Show-Me State communities and neighborhoods; and

**Whereas**, the city of Noel, Missouri, is home to approximately eighteen hundred residents who have come together in an unprecedented fashion to initiate the inaugural Down on Main Street celebration which will be held on July 2, 2005; and

**Whereas**, esteemed components of the Down on Main Street celebration will include numerous bands performing a range of music from gospel to rock and roll on three different stages, Hispanic ballet dancers and square dancers, a pie auction, a dunk tank, a bouncing castle, face painting, and more than fifty booths featuring information, crafts, and such gustatory fare as hotdogs and chicharones; and

**Whereas**, there will also be six hundred chicken dinners available for the Down on Main Street event with Tyson's donating the chicken, Allen's contributing the beans, Harp's Food Store supplying watermelon, and Cotton Eyed Joe's Barbeque Restaurant doing all of the food preparation and cooking; and

**Whereas**, Down on Main Street is truly a community supported event with Joyce Short, Executive Director of Noel Housing, spearheading the project and supported by individuals representing Noel city government, Tyson Chicken, local businesses, and leaders in the Hispanic community and by other civic-minded persons embodying a new "let's get it done together" attitude; and

**Whereas**, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse daily activities in order to recognize momentous occasions which occur throughout Missouri:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the civic-minded spirit evinced by the residents of Noel and its environs and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for a highly successful Down on Main Street celebration on July 2, 2005; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation during the Down on Main Street celebration in Noel, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Marilyn Ruestman  
District No. 131

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 3884, adopted June 29, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker